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In re the application of:

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FOR: SERUM CHOLESTEROL LOWERING AGENT OR PREVENTIVE OR  
THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR ATHEROSCLEROSIS

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed October 8, 2008, to which a reply is due January 8, 2009. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin at page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.